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SUBJECT: LEADERSHIP ATTENDANCE AT COAL CONFERENCE

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1. NCNA'S UNUSUAL REFERENCE (NOVEMBER 7 AND 12) TO THE
"LEADING COMRADES OF THE STATE COUNCIL" GREETING AND
ADDRESSING ATTENDEES AT THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF COAL MINING
TEAM LEADERS (REFTEL) HAS BEEN CLARIFIED BY MONITOR REPORT
OF A CANTON TV BROADCAST. VICE PREMIER AND MINISTER IN
CHARGE OF CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION KU MU IS SHOWN GIVING A
SPEECH, WHILE THE HIGH-LEVEL ATTENDEES INCLUDE POLITBURO
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MEMBER/VICE PREMIERS LI HSIEN-NIEN, CHI TENG-KUEI AND

HUA KUO-FENG, AS WELL AS VICE PREMIERS WANG CHEN AND SUN CHIEN. THE TURNOUT IS ECONOMIC/CONSTRUCTION ORIENTED AND THE PRESENCE OF LI AND HUA, WHO TOGETHER SEEM TO SHARE OVERSIGHT RESPONSIBILITY FOR ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, INDICATES THE HIGH-LEVEL ATTENTION GIVEN TO THE MEETING.

2. CHI TENG-KUEI'S APPEARANCE IS SOMEWHAT UNEXPECTED BUT HE HAS IN THE PAST APPEARED WITH INTERNATIONAL LABOR LEADERS, AND THUS MAY HAVE SOME RESPONSIBILITIES IN THE LABOR FIELD. MINISTER OF CULTURE YU HUI-YUNG'S ATTENDANCE AT THIS CONFERENCE, AS AT THE EARLIER TACHAI MEETING, PROBABLY INDICATES A CONTINUED RELIANCE ON PROPAGANDA FOR SPURRING THE WORKERS ON TO MEET THE REGIME'S AMBITIOUS ECONOMIC GOALS. WE CAN ONLY EXPLAIN NCNA'S NON-IDENTIFICATION OF THE LEADERS PRESENT AS AN ATTEMPT TO RESTRICT THE INFORMATION TO A DOMESTIC AUDIENCE.
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